Renewal Tips

ACCESS THE LLR ONLINE SERVICES PORTAL <u>NOW</u>. Know your userid and password, safeguard it and
use it to renew online as early as possible in your renewal period after you have completed any required
CME. Watch for emails from the board with important renewal information. Look for renewal information
under *Board News* at <u>www.llronline.com/pol/medical</u>

ONLINE SERVICES PORTAL:

https://eservice.llr.sc.gov/SSO/Login/LoginPage?ReturnUrl=%2fSSO%2fHome%2fMyAccount

- a. If you do not know your USERID and Password, go to https://eservice.llr.sc.gov/OnlineRenewals/ and click on "I Forgot/Do Not know my User ID and/or I Forgot My Password."
- b. A valid email address on file with the board is required.
- c. If you do not have a current email address on file with the Board, please email the Board at Medboard@llr.sc.gov with your name, license number, last 5 digits of your social security number and current email address.
- d. Don't forget about the ability to designate a proxy payor for renewal. This information will come up as an option under Online Services during your renewal.
- 2. Renew EARLY and renew ONLINE during the 90-day period your license is open for renewal and <u>after</u> you complete required CME.

Continuing Medical Education

You are NOT required to send actual CME certificates, transcripts etc. to the board office to renew (Keep them for your records in case of a board CME audit)

*With the exception of Podiatry, licensees in their first renewal cycle, the first renewal, after receiving their permanent license are not required to complete CME.

*CME must be completed during the 24-month period preceding the renewal deadline date for your license and before you renew online!

*Partial CME Credit for Volunteer Service: SC Code 38-79-30 Any licensed health care provider who renders medical services voluntarily and without compensation or the expectation or promise of compensation and seeks no reimbursement from charitable and governmental sources may fulfill one hour of continuing education for each hour of volunteer medical services rendered, up to a maximum of twenty-five percent of the provider's required continuing education credits for the licensure period. **SC Code SECTION 38-79-30(B)**

The "emergency" license will NOT qualify for volunteer hours/services. These are paid positions. Volunteer Medical Services hours will require submitting a letter from the organization for which they volunteered for review and approval.

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Military Provisions for Renewal

SECTION 40-1-610. Continuing education exemption.

For the Military Provisions for Renewal - Not Eligible for Online Renewal

A person whose profession or occupation is regulated by this title is exempt from completing continuing education requirements for his profession or occupation while serving on <u>active military duty.</u>

SECTION 40-1-620. License fee exemption.

A person whose profession or occupation is regulated by this title may not be assessed, and is exempt from being required to pay, a license fee for his profession or occupation for a calendar year in which he serves any period of active military duty.

RENEWAL PERIODS AND FEES FOR EACH LICENSE

RCP	\$75	RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN MARCH 4 - MAY 31
	\$75	LATE RENEWAL (AFTER MAY 31)
		CME DATE RANGE IS JUNE 1, 2019-MAY 31, 2021
		Must complete thirty (30) hours of continuing education.
		See Regulation 81-202, Approved contact hours (See link below)
		https://www.llr.sc.gov/pol/medical/Policies/RCPApprovedContactHours.pdf

MD/DO \$155 RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN APRIL 1 – JUNE 30 \$100 LATE RENEWAL (PER MONTH – AFTER JUNE 30)

CME DATE RANGE IS JULY 1, 2019 – JUNE 30, 2021

Must complete forty (40) hours of continuing education Category 1 AMA/AOA

40 total hours to renew your license

30 in your Specialty; **10** may be Non-Specialty; **2** hours must be in Safe Prescribing or Monitoring of Controlled Substances

PHYSICIAN CME FOR RENEWAL IS...

- 1. 40 hours total
- 2. AMA/AOA Category 1
- 3. Taken during the renewal period –July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020
- 4. Subject matter-30 hours in specialty, 10 hours may be non-specialty.
- 5. 2 of the total 40 hours <u>must</u> be in appropriate procedures for prescribing and monitoring controlled substances.
- 6. These two (2) hours are required every two years regardless of specialty or whether you actually prescribe controlled substances!!!

Physicians may also claim up to ten (10) hours for volunteer medical service.

https://www.llr.sc.gov/POL/Medical/Policies/BME_AO_CME_Prescribing and Monitoring Controlled Subs.pdf

https://www.llr.sc.gov/POL/Medical/Policies/Links%20to%20Controlled%20Substance%20CME%20providers 2019.pdf

<u>RCIS</u>	\$80	RENEWAL STARTS APRIL 1 – JUNE 30 PAPER RENEWAL APPLICATION; NO LATE FEE; NO CEU/CME; PRACTICE PROTOCOL; RCIS ACTIVE CERTIFICATION, AND PRIMARY SUPERVISOR
<u>ACUP</u>	\$145 \$50	RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN JULY 1 – SEPT 30 LATE RENEWAL (PER MONTH SEPT 30 – DEC 31) CURRENT NCCAOM CERTIFICATION: AFTER 12/31/21 INITIAL APPLICATION WILL BE REQUIRED.
<u>AA</u>	\$295 \$295	RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN OCT 1 - DEC 31 CURRENT NCCA CERTIFICATION

PA \$45 RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN OCT 1 - DEC 31

\$45 LATE RENEWAL (AFTER DEC 31)

CURRENT NCCPA CERTIFICATION [www.nccpa.net/verify]

Physician Assistants with an active DHEC/DEA Controlled Substance Prescriptive Authority Registration must complete four **(4)** hours of continuing education related to prescribing and monitoring controlled substances.

https://www.scmedical.org/education

The South Carolina Medical Association is one organization that offers a course that meets the new requirement for Physician Assistants There are **two 2-hour courses** for Physician Assistants. Both courses must be taken to meet the renewal requirement. This is not the only course that may be accepted.

PODIATRY

\$200 RENEWAL PORTAL IS OPEN OCT 1 – DEC 31 \$200 LATE RENEWAL (AFTER DEC 31 – MARCH 31) CME DATE RANGE IS JAN 1. 2020– DEC 31. 2021

PODIATRIST CME FOR RENEWAL IS...

1. 24 hours total for ALL podiatrists. *Podiatrists with an active DHEC/DEA controlled substance prescriptive authority registration must also complete two (2) hours of continuing education related to appropriate procedures for prescribing and monitoring controlled substances. These two (2) hours are included in the twenty-four (24) hour total.

https://www.scmedical.org/education

The South Carolina Medical Association is one organization that offers a course that meets the CME requirement for Podiatrists. This is not the only course that may be accepted in addition to APMA approved CME.

MD/DO Penalty Schedule

Without penalty		July 2021 CME date penalty		July CME + Practice Penalty	
July \$155+\$100	\$255	July \$255+\$500	\$755	July \$755+\$1000	\$1755
August \$155+\$200	\$355	August \$355+\$500	\$855	August \$855+\$2000	\$2855
September \$155+\$300	\$455	September \$455+\$500	\$955	September \$955+\$3000	\$3855
October \$155+\$400	\$555	October \$555+\$500	\$1055	October \$1055+\$4000	\$5055
November \$155+\$500	\$655	November \$655+\$500	\$1155	November \$1155+\$5000	\$6155
December \$155+\$600	\$755	December \$755+\$500	\$1255	December \$1255+\$6000	\$7255
January \$155+\$700	\$855	January \$855+\$500	\$1355	January \$1355+\$7000	\$8355
February \$155+\$800	\$955	February \$955+\$500	\$1455	February \$1455+\$8000	\$9455
March \$155+\$900	\$1055	March \$1055+\$500	\$1555	March \$1555+\$9000	\$10555
April \$155+\$1000	\$1155	April \$1155+\$500	\$1655	April \$1655+\$10000	\$11655
May \$155+ \$1100	\$1255	May \$1255+\$500	\$1755	May \$1755+\$11000	\$12755
June \$155+\$1200	\$1355	June \$1355+\$500	\$1855	June \$1855+\$12000	\$13855
July Reactivation appli	cation	July Reactivation application		July Reactivation application	